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**Applicants** 

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PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF

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## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Petition Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for filing an amendment in response to the Office Action dated February 11, 2009 be extended for one additional month to and including July 11, 2009.

Attached is a check in the amount of \$ 360,00 for the extension of time fee. In the event of any discrepancies regarding the fee, the Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 06-1110.

Respectfully submitted,

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